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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE

DILIGENTIA LODGE will meet TO-DAY, 24th instant, at 5.30 p.m., instead of on Thursday, the 31st inst., as previously advertised. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2791]

THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, Bury, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th instant, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st October 1891. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from the 18th inst. to the 29th inst., both days inclusive.

W. H. WALKER, Secretary. Hongkong, 17th December, 1891. [2785]

THE ANNUAL MEETING FOR SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held on the afternoon of the 10th instant, at 2 o'clock, at the Company's Office, Bury, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th inst., at 4 o'clock, of JANUARY 24th, 1892.

THE SECOND ANNUAL MEETING of the HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY will be held in the City Hall, on THURSDAY, 12th JANUARY, 1892, at Noon. The Hon. J. J. KESWICK has kindly consented to take the Chair. All are cordially invited to be present. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2794]

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 15 (SPECIAL).

CHINA SEA.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

SOUTHERN ENTRANCE TO THE YANGTZE.

A SURVEY of a section of the SOUTHERN ENTRANCE to the YANGTZE, extending about 17 miles, was completed on the 14th instant, proves that the "Middle Ground," shown on the British Admiralty Chart, No. 1,092, corrected to May, 1889, has extended bodily in a north-westerly direction to a distance varying from 1/2 to 3/4 of a mile, and in a north-westerly direction about 2 miles; while to the south-eastward it has joined with the flats extending from the south-western shore of the river.

Notice is hereby given, therefore, that on or about the 4th JANUARY, 1892, the following changes will be made, to suit the alterations that have taken place in the channel:—The Lightship Kintoon will be shifted 2 1/2 cables to the N. 3/4 W. of her present position, where she will be about 1/2 mile N. 3/4 E. from the Kintoon Beacon.

The "Middle Ground" Lower Buoy will be shifted to a spot from which Kintoon Island Surveying Beacon bears N. 1 1/2 W. distant about 3 1/2 miles. This buoy in its new position will mark the north-western or port side of the channel entering. It will be painted black and surrounded with a black spherical cap.

The "Middle Ground" Upper Buoy will be shifted to a spot from which Kintoon Island Surveying Beacon bears N. 1 1/2 W. distant about 3 1/2 miles. This buoy in its new position will mark the north-western or port side of the channel entering. It will be painted black and surrounded with a black spherical cap.

A red conical buoy surrounded with a black spherical cap, and to be known as the South-east Buoy, will be placed in the channel, with Small Kintoon Beacon S. 87° W. distant about 3 1/2 miles, of the outer or seaward end of the South-eastern point of a line of buoys which are delineating off the south-western side of Blockhouse Shoal. This buoy will mark the starboard side of the channel entering.

All bearings are magnetic. A. M. HIBBER, Coast Inspector. Imperial Maritime Customs, Coast Inspector's Office, Shanghai, 21st December, 1891. [2790]

NOTICE

THE departure of Steamship "LYDIA," to YOKOHAMA and KOBE is POSTPONED until further notice. SIEMSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

NORDDOITSCHER LOYD.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE, AND NAGASAKI.

(Passing through the OCEAN SEA).

THE COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP.

"GENERAL WELDER," Captain B. Blinks, will leave for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

NORDDOITSCHER LOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP.

"STUTTGART," Captain W. Schumann, will leave for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE STEAMSHIP.

"BENLARIO," Captain Le Bontiller, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2792]

FOR SHANGHAI.

"NINGPO," Captain B. Köhler, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at 4 p.m.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP.

"ZAIRO," Captain Chubb, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP.

"POEMOSA," Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningpo, Chefoo, Newchwang, Tientsin, Hankow, and Pootung on the Yangtze).

THE COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP.

"NESTOR," Captain Thompson, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP.

"AJAX," Captain Rawlings, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 30th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK (VIA SUEZ CANAL).

THE STEAMSHIP.

"SIR," Rowley, Commander, will sail on or about the 18th January, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2413]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG, AND ANTWERP.

THE STEAMSHIP.

"MONMOUTHSHIRE," Captain Cuming, will be despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 18th of January.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2394]

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX O.S.S. CO'S S.S. "AGAMEMNON" & "THOMAS," FROM LIVERPOOL.

SHIPPING ORDERS must be obtained from the Underwriter not later than the 25th inst. for shipment per steamer "NESTOR."

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2717]

NORDDOITSCHER LOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "STUTTGART."

FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL.

THE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opticals, Jewellery, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. TO-DAY, the 23rd inst.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 2nd January, 1892, will be subject to sale.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on THURSDAY, the 31st December, at 4 p.m.

All Claims must reach us before the 3rd January, 1892, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

CITY HALL.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the City Hall, on THURSDAY, the 24th DECEMBER, 1891, at Four o'clock in the Afternoon.

H. J. DENNIS, Secretary. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2785]

ZETLAND LODGE.

No. 65.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FARMERSON'S HALL, Zetland Street, TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at 8 for 8.30 p.m., precisely. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1891. [2784]

ST. ANDREW'S HALL.

TO-MORROW EVENING.

(TUESDAY), DECEMBER 25th.

GRAND CONCERT SOIREE.

BEEHOFER-WAGNER, Organist.

HERE ALBERT FRIEDENTHAL.

Mindfully assisted by Mrs. D. GILLIES and Mr. G. WILLE.

RESERVED SEATS.....\$2.00

BACK SEATS.....\$1.00

INTIMATIONS

NOTICE.

THE Underigned have been appointed Sole Agents for Hongkong and China for the KINNEY BROS. New York branch of the AMERICAN TOBACCO (TRUST) COMPANY'S well-known brands of "STREET CIGARETTES," "STRAIGHT CUT," "FULL DRESS," &c., &c., CHICAGO and TOBACCO. ALVIN KOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 18th Jan. 1891. [1715]

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW-YEAR PRESENTS!

FRENCH AND ENGLISH TOYS FOR CHILDREN.

WASHING DOLLS, TALKING DOLLS, BABY DOLLS, & DOLLS.

THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN TOYS, TOY BOOKS, AND GAMES.

A MAGIC LANTERN.

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FLOWER SETS and CENTRE-PIECES.

LAMPS and LAMP SHADES.

ALBUMS, PHOTO FRAMES.

CARD CASES.

NOTE CASES.

SCRAP BOOKS.

WORK BASKETS and BAGS, PERFUME SETS, JEWEL CASES.

SCISSOR SETS in CASES, MENU TABLETS, INKSTANDS.

ELECTRO-PLATED TABLE WARE.

ELECTRO-PLATED ORNAMENTS.

BIRTHDAY BOOKS, POETS (Bound for Presentation), GIFT BOOKS.

—ANNUALS—

CHILDREN'S BOOKS.

DANCE MUSIC, CHILLOLO SOLOS AND DUETS.

ALL THE LATEST MUSIC.

TRAVELLING BAGS, DRESSING BAGS.

SILVER-MOUNTED MEERSCHAUM and BRIAR PIPES.

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Hongkong, 4th December, 1891. [2423]

CHAMPAGNES.

IN MAGNUM—BOTTLES and HALF-BOTTLES.

FORMERY & GREN. VEUVE MONNIER, 1844.

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HEIDESIECK & Co. (Goldfish). KRUTZ FRERES, 1844.

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F. W. CROSS, General Manager. Hongkong, 17th December, 1891. [2785]

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hongkong, 10th December, 1891. [2684]

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INTIMATIONS

NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Heavy Reduction in Rates.

New Plan Life Policies on European Lives in China.

BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 17th December, 1891. [21802]

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INTIMATIONS

DAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA, LIMITED.

CHEMISTS, &c.

Are now showing a selection of Articles suitable for CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR PRESENTS, either for Ladies or Gentlemen, comprising:—

LIQUEUR STANDS, CLARET JUGS, TOILET BOTTLES, POTTS, &c., of the best cut crystal, mounted in Sterling Silver or Plate.

SMOKERS' REQUISITES of best workmanship.

TRAVELLING DRESSING CASES, MIRRORS, &c., &

VESSELS EXPECTED:

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MARKET PRICES.—25TH DECEMBER.

The Prices are given in Dollar Cents.				
Cash is 1030 to the Dollar, a cent in 10				
件價 1391 1/2				
DROUGHT MARKET.				
什貨 雜貨	Bacon	English	lb.	20
什貨 雜貨	"	American	"	18
什貨 雜貨	"	Poohoo	"	16
什貨 雜貨	"	Japan cured	"	15
什貨 雜貨	Beef	English	lb.	16
什貨 雜貨	"	Corral	"	13
什貨 雜貨	"	Roast	"	22
什貨 雜貨	"	Steak	"	18
什貨 雜貨	"	Whampoa	lb.	9
什貨 雜貨	"	Some of the finest per	"	10
什貨 雜貨	"	Tongue	lb.	12
什貨 雜貨	"	Corral	"	21
什貨 雜貨	"	Hand	"	24
什貨 雜貨	"	Foot	"	22
什貨 雜貨	"	Ham	"	15
什貨 雜貨	"	Hump, Salt	"	12
什貨 雜貨	"	Feet	"	5
什貨 雜貨	"	Knags	"	6
什貨 雜貨	"	Tail	"	4
什貨 雜貨	"	Liver	"	6
什貨 雜貨	"	Tripe, undressed	"	4
什貨 雜貨	"	Chest and	"	10
什貨 雜貨	"	Hams, American	lb.	20
什貨 雜貨	"	Chinese	"	25
什貨 雜貨	"	English, New	"	20
什貨 雜貨	"	Japanese cured	"	20
什貨 雜貨	"	Shanghai	"	20
什貨 雜貨	"	Mutton Chop	"	20

手羊	Shoulder	14
蹄子	Pigs Feet	centy 11
雞頭	Fry	12
雞精	Head	each 40
雞精	Kidneys	pair 7
肝精	Liver	lb. 13
豬蹄	Pork, Chop	centy 14
肉精	Corned	12
	Leg	15
油精	Fat or Lard	12
羊頭	Sheeps Head, and Feet	set 35
心羊	Heart	each 40

廣平	Liver	lb.	13
中豬	Smoking Pigs	each	\$11
油中	Suet, Pork	lb.	11
豬	Mutton	lb.	11
中	Sweet Bread	each	15
角仔	Chicken	"	\$14

POULTRY.			
仔雞	Chicken	each	20
鴨	Capens	"	25
鳩	Doves	"	12
鴨	Ducks	"	12
蛋雞	Eggs, Hen	doz.	11
蛋鴨	Duck	"	10
雞	Fowls	each	18
鵝	Geese	"	20

馬山	Partidge, Canton	each	\$2
鳳凰	Pheasant	each	7
鴨	Duck	pair	75
鷄	Pigeons	each	14
鵝	Goose	each	20
魚	Fish	each	15
鱔	Saipo	each	18
行雞	Tan, Canton	each	24
鴨	Duck	each	15
火雞	Turkey, Canton	each	25
雞	Hen	each	45
鴨	Wild Duck, Shanghai	pair	65
水陸上	Woodcock, Canton	each	45
角	Elk.		
魚	Barral	each	9
魚	Bream	each	14
魚	Bumley Ducks	100 pieces	14
魚	Carp	each	12
魚	Cat Fish	each	12
魚	Crabs	each	18
魚	Guttle Fish	each	8
魚	Dai	each	6
魚	Rice	each	8
魚	Bals Congo	each	18
魚	Fresh water	each	22
魚	Yellow	each	22

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乾松子	Lichoo, Dried	25
腰果	Linos	11
橄欖	Olive	11
白果	Orange	11
椰子	Mandarin, Med.	6
甜椰子	Sweet, San-Ui	10
柑	Green	11
柑	Pear, Pear	11
梨	Pears, Shanghai	10
鮮桃	Persimmon	9
蘋果	Persimmon, Frosh	11
葡萄	Pumpkin	11
楊桃	Pueto, Amy	4
檸檬	Strawberries, Chinese	11
水菓	Water Chestnut	4
荔枝	Walnut	8
成合	Water Melon	11
核桃	Walnuts	8
VEGETABLES, &c.		
竹筍丁	Artichokes, Shanghai	8
筍	Bamboo Shoot	11
豆	Bean, sprout	11
豆	bean	11
豆	bean	11

前菜	Bistrot	each	2
鮑魚元	Bivalves	catty	8
白菜	Cabbage	each	1
菜花	Cauliflower	each	1
菜肉	Shanghai	each	3
菜蘭菊	Turnip Rooted	"	2
蘿蔔	Carrots	catty	4
金針	Canthiflower	"	2
花菜	Cauliflow.	"	1
荷蘭豆	Cashew, English	"	12
青豆	Cashew, Green	"	12
鮮魷	Chilied, Dried	"	9
鮮魷	Chilies, Fresh	"	6
鮮蝦仁	Fresh, Green	"	6
鮮紅椒	Hot Red	"	2
鮮茄	Chinese Cabbage	"	2
鮮豆腐	Curry Stuff, English	"	1
瓜菜	Cucumbers	"	1
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干菜	Pickered	"	\$1.50
乾蒜	Ginger young	catty	4
薑子	young	"	2
老薑	old	"	2
火腿	Horo Kadiu, Shanghai,	"	14
火腿	Indian Curry	"	1

黑干菜	Okroos	.....	3
黑豆	Black Beans	.....	3
綠豆	Green Beans	.....	3
青豆	Green Beans	.....	3
花生	Oil, Ground Nut	.....	pieces
芋	Potato	.....	1
日本薯	Potatoes, Sweet	.....	calky
仔薯	.....	.....	2
日本薯	.....	.....	1
芋	.....	.....	2
瓜	Pumpkin, Flat, Yellow	.....	3
冬瓜	Pumpkin	.....	3
交片瓜	Pumpkin	.....	3
瓜	Papaw	.....	2
白豆	Redish	.....	doz.
白上	Kidney, Best-quality	.....	pieces
白上	.....	.....	1
菜	Shadots	.....	calky
菜	Spinage, Chinese	.....	2
鹹菜	Singer, Reddied No. 1	10
鹹菜	10
菜	Taro	14
菜	Turnips, Paati	14
白蘭菜	each
菜	Vegetable Marrow	—

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